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## Biomethane supported by supply security needs



- Flexible European natural gas supply has fallen
- Overall natural gas supply has fallen



- Biomethane provides local supply flexibility with additionality
- EU Target 35bn m<sup>3</sup>/year by 2030 (~340TWh)

## All biomethane is not equal



### Pricing influenced by feedstock, location and time





#### Argus Waste-backed Danish time spreads (€/MWh)



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#### But supply and demand side restrictions slow market growth

## Argus biomethane pricing "to connect the dots"

#### Argus biomethane coverage includes

- Denmark, Netherlands, Germany and the UK
- Subsidised and unsubsidised
- RED-certified and uncertified
- Crop, waste and advanced biomethane
- NWE bunker bio-LNG prices

#### Complemented by Argus renewable fuel ticket pricing

- German GHG quota
- Dutch HBEs
- UK RTFCs

RED biomethane (13 Feb)		€/MWh	
	Bid	Ask	
Germany VTP (THE)			
2025	90	95	
Premium Germany VTP (THE)			
2025	120	125	

Renewable gas guarantees of origin (13 Feb)							
	Unit	Bid	Ask	Mid	±		
Subsidised							
Denmark							
2024 crop	€/MWh	8.50	11.00	9.75	no		
2025 crop	€/MWh	11.00	12.50	11.75	no		
2026 crop	€/MWh	10.50	13.00	11.75	no		
2024 waste*	€/MWh	12.50	14.50	13.50	-0.50		
2025 waste*	€/MWh	17.00	21.00	19.00	nc		
2026 waste*	€/MWh	21.50	24.50	23.00	+1.50		
Netherlands							
2024 crop	€/MWh	8.50	11.00	9.75	no		
2025 crop	€/MWh	11.00	12.50	11.75	no		
2026 crop	€/MWh	10.50	13.00	11.75	no		
2024 waste*	€/MWh	13.50	15.50	14.50	-0.50		
2025 waste*	€/MWh	18.50	22.50	20.50	no		
2026 waste*	€/MWh	23.00	26.00	24.50	+1.50		
UK							
2024 crop	£/MWh	6.60	7.60	7.10	-0.10		
2025 crop	£/MWh	8.60	9.10	8.85	nc		
2026 crop	£/MWh	9.60	11.10	10.35	no		
2024 waste	£/MWh	9.00	11.00	10.00	no		
2025 waste	£/MWh	11.75	12.75	12.25	nc		
2026 waste	£/MWh	13.00	14.00	13.50	nc		
Unsubsidised							
Netherlands							
2024 waste*	€/MWh	43.00	47.00	45.00	-1.00		
2025 waste*	€/MWh	45.00	49.00	47.00	-1.00		
2026 waste*	€/MWh	47.00	51.00	49.00	-1.00		
* RED-certified							

## Europe's biomethane capacity could triple by 2030

Expected volume of biomethane injections by 2030 in key producing countries



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